Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South):* May I know what was the strength three years back?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* The strength has gone up 20 per cent during the last three years, and we have been making repeated requests for a better building. As there is no adjoining land for the school, the question of the Government putting up a building had to be postponed, because, at that time there were not sufficient funds. Now that a special grant of Rs. 1,50,000 has been placed at the disposal of the department, it will only be reasonable that convenience and facilities as far as possible are provided.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar *(Nellayi):* Is there sufficient space for play grounds?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* No play ground at all.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South):* May I know whether there is play ground for the new building ?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* There will be some play ground, though not a foot ball ground, as it is only a primary school.

Mr. C. R. Iyyunni *(Trichur-South):* May I know from where the major portion of the students come?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):* I want notice.

APPOINTMENTS IN THE AIDED SCHOOL—KILUTHANI

165. Mr. V. K. Krishnankutty *(Ezhuvas-Trichur):* Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether any Sirkar school or school under the management of the Sirkar was handed over to Kiluthani Nayar Samajam ;

(*b*) if so, when it was done ; will the Government be pleased to print and place a copy of the order on the table of each member ;

(*c*) whether new appointments were made by the Manager after the management was handed over ;

(*d*) will the Government be pleased to give a caste-war list of appointments made ;

(*e*) of the hands appointed, how many are trained hands ;

(*f*) how many trained hands had applied for appointment in the said school ; their names ;

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(*g*) has the Director of Public Instruction issued any circular to the managers to give preference to the trained applicants ;

(*h*) if so, whether the Government be pleased to place on the table of each member a copy of that circular ;

(*i*) whether the Government are aware that there is a rule in the Madras Presidency to the effect that in aided schools at least 2/3 of the total number (of teachers) should be trained ?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon *(Director of Public Instruction):*

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) From the reopening of schools in Edavam 1115. The school building was actually handed over to the Nayar Samajam on 16th Edavam 1115. The order cannot be placed on the table.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*)

Christian	..	1
Ezhuva ..	..	1
Ambalavasi (Warriar)	..	1
Nayars ..	..	10

(*e*) Two.

(*f*) Four.

1. C. Padmanabha Menon
2. A. V. Raman
3. V. I. Unni
4. M. Parameswara Menon

(*g*) Yes.

(*h*) A copy of the circular is placed on the table. *(Appendix II).*

(*i*) No information.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATES FOR ADMISSION IN THE MAHARAJA'S COLLEGE, ERNAKULAM

166. Mr. V. K. Krishnankutty *(Ezhuvas-Trichur):* Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(*a*) whether there is a rule that for admission to the Junior Intermediate Class of the Maharaja's College, Ernakulam, the candidate should produce a certificate of Health from the Medical Officer of the School in which she or he last attended;

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4. The Diwan Peishkar would impress upon the Tahsildars and Deputy Tahsildar to personally see that no complaint regarding the grant of copies and issue of poverty certificates arise in future."

(True copy)

(Sd.)
For Diwan Peishkar

APPENDIX II

(Please see answer to question No. 165)

PROCEEDINGS OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

Points raised—Vrischigam meeting—Question No. 52—Preference of trained teachers.

Read Official Memorandum, dated 20th January 1940, D2-11573/1115, Development Department; and

(2) Reports C. 5125/15, D1-6191/15 and L. Dis. 3448/1115, from the Inspector, Southern Division, Inspector, Northern Division and Inspectress, respectively.

Order, dated 10th May 1940, D. Dis. 9293/1115

From the reports received from the Inspecting Officers it is seen that there are a few instances where raw School Final hands and graduates were appointed in schools under private management when trained S. S. L. Cs., and graduates were available and that the former (raw School Finals and graduates) were preferred to trained hands for special reasons. The Inspecting Officers are informed that in the matter of approving appointments in schools under private management they should see that preference is given to trained hands over raw untrained hands when the former are available and when there are no special reasons for justifying a departure from the rules.

(Sd.)
Director

To

The Inspecting Officers

(True copy)

(Sd.)
Director

APPENDIX III

(Please see answer to question No. 166)

Copy of letter dated 14th June 1940 from Dr. M. Dakshayni Amma, M. B. B. S., Trichur, to M. R. Ry. P. Raman Menon, Avl., M. A., B. L., Government Pleader.

"What the College authorities require is the Medical Inspection Schedule" and students can claim the same from the Head of the School along with their Transfer Certificates when they leave the school. As Medical Inspectress, I am not expected to give medical certificates to all students seeking admission in Colleges. Therefore you may do the needful in the matter."

(True copy)

(Sd.)
Director

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